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In re Application of: Martin John Millmore

Application No.: 09/867,680

Group Art Unit: 2173

Filed: May 31, 2001

Examiner: Kieu D. Vu

Title: DATABASE INTERFACE SYSTEM

For: **SUBMISSION OF PREVIOUSLY FILED REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
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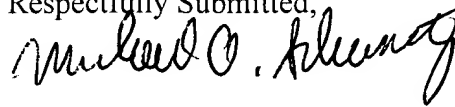
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Sir:

In response to a call from Examiner Vu regarding the status of this application, it was determined that the Request for Continued Examination and Petition for 1 Month Extension filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 30, 2004 had not been recorded as received by the USPTO. We are resubmitting a copy of the RCE and Petition for 1 Month Extension and associated transmittal documents that were filed in this matter on November 30, 2004 and a copy of the USPTO file-stamped postcard as proof of filing. Applicant requests that these documents be entered into the USPTO docketing system as of the originally filed date of November 30, 2004 and the appropriate action taken.

No fees are believed to be due with this Submission, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP Deposit Account No. 19-5127 (order no. 19111.0056).

Respectfully Submitted,

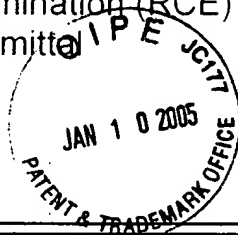
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

- a. ☒ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

- i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
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- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply  
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- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required)  
b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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